

# DX News



RAY B. EDGE, PRESIDENT  
325 SHIRLEY AVE.  
BUFFALO 15, N. Y.

HAROLD F. WAGNER  
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY  
R. D. 1,  
NORTH GIRARD, PA.

ERNEST R. COOPER, EDITOR  
"MUSINGS OF THE MEMBERS"  
438 EAST 21ST ST.  
BROOKLYN 26, N. Y.

FRED VAN VORHEES, EDITOR  
"INTERNATIONAL DX DIGEST"  
BOX 132  
LEMOYNE, PA.

HENRY WARD, TV EDITOR  
404 NORTH 14TH ST.  
PONCA CITY, OKLA.

PUBLISHED BY THE  
**NATIONAL RADIO CLUB**

HEADQUARTERS: 325 SHIRLEY AVE., BUFFALO 15, N. Y.

ISSUED WEEKLY DURING DX SEASON -- \$3.00 PER YEAR -- 34 ISSUES

Volume 23 - Number 1 Year 23 for N.R.C. September 3, 1955

## HAIL CEDAR RAPIDS!

We would like to open our twenty-third consecutive year by saluting the Conventioners gathering at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, over this Labor Day weekend. Many of these folks are the world's foremost authorities on Broadcast Band DX, and you'll read their words every week during the coming season in "DX NEWS".

- Your Editor.

## NEW MEMBERS

LARRY JONES	Box 226	Stillwater, Oklahoma
JOE P. MORRIS	10512 Parkview Avenue	Cleveland 4, Ohio
STAVROS VOURGAZOPOLOS	10, Cavala St.,	Xanthi, Greece
ROBERT B. PORTER	Route 3	Marcus, Iowa
ALBERT E. LEHR	Route 1, Box 353	Livermore, California
PHIL J. ROBBINS	7805 Woolworth Avenue	Omaha 6, Nebraska
KARL MEHNERT	171 Southside Parkway	Buffalo 20, New York

## RENEWALS

Relfe Luton	Roy Patrick	E. Barry Foote	Ernest R. Cooper
Morton Schlesinger	Robert Gorsuch	E. C. Saling	G. A. Magnuson
Elwood Borowski	Robert Duggan, Jr.	George Holland, Jr.	Ronald de Neuf
Steve Walbridge	Maurice Nittler	Paul Thomas	George Ondola
Carroll Seth	Carl Parsons, Jr.	Buddy Giles	Francis Nittler
Laurie Boyer	Harry Shaffer	Albert Bull	Ernest Luttrell

Welcome to the new members, and welcome again to the renewers above. We'd like to repeat what we said last time that we'd like more of you lads to take an active part in keeping "DX NEWS" the foremost publication it is now. All it entails on your part is to send in a report, whether it be TV, BCB, of Foreign, or DX Down the Dial information, send it in and help the other members with your doings. When a veteran DXer looks over a smaller collection of veries, undoubtedly he comes across one he would like very much to have. Likewise if you are a new DXer, your loggings could easily help not only other new members, but some of our veterans who just might need a station you have heard. So let's all pull a little bit of the load, and you'll then see what a "wow" this publication will be all season!

## NEXT ISSUE

The next issue will be dated September 24, and then the DX season will be with us once again, and of course, that means weekly "DX NEWS" from then until the end of the season. In many communities, Daylight Saving Time will continue throughout most of October. We remind you to send your reports in in Eastern Standard Time to avoid confusion.

We'd like to express our thanks to those who have done so much for the club in the past and present, and we'd like again to put before you the fact that we need a new publisher for "DX NEWS." In the previous issue, we outlined the duties of the publisher, and we are hoping there is one among us who can handle this for us in the future. We are set for this season, but the future of the club depends on our finding some one to take over this so-important job.

"D K MEMS"

VERIE SIGNERS

Number	Initials	Name	Rank	Number	Initials	Name	Rank
550	W G G A	Wilbert Darracott, CE	A	1300	K G L O	Roger E. Sawyer, CE	E
	W O S A	Werner H. Weiss, ACE	B		K M M O	W. M. Williams, CE	E
	-W SqV A	J. M. Foley, CE	J	1310	K F S B	Lloyd C. Frazier, CE	E
600	K E R B	R. H. Hemphall	B		-W I S H	R. M. Brockway, ACE	E
610	W A Y S	James L. Paston, GM	J	1320	K X L W	James F. Mitchehl, CE	E
620	W S U N	J. Dayton Saltzman PD	J		W J H P	Mrs. Martha Thomas StogM	J
790	W P q I C	John Fahnlne, E	E	1330	(W E B Y)	(William Smith, M	KO
	-W TFA R	Richard L. Lindell, CE	J		(W E B Y)	(Mrs. M. Owens, S	A
800	-X EqL O	I. Rojas H.	F	1340	C JfQ C	Robert Torpey, CE	A
850	-K O-A -	J. A. Slusser, CE	F		-K B R S	William Ussery, CE	E
	W EpE U	Robert C. Gulden, CE	F		W I R Y	Roy Fuller, ACE	H
	W IpL D	R. Lowery, CE	F		W T Y S	Karl M. Richards, TrfM	J
	C K V L	J. C. Charlebois, TD	A		K F G T	MERobbins for RLJohnsonGM	A
900	W B R V	G. W. prouty, CE	IO	1360	K T L D	S. Willing, GM	I
920	W K R T	M. Rossi	H		-K L R S	E. T. Caddell, CE	E
930	(W RqR F	(Lewis B. Hiland, CE	M	1370	W S A Y	Gordon Brown, CE	F
	(W RpR F	(Lewis R. Highland, CE	F		-W DpE F	B. C. Baker, CE	
	-C JqC A	Joan Bruggen, S	E		W O T R	James B. Rankin, E	AEO
950	W K L W	C. Smith, PD	K		K A W L	H. Gleason, CE	
	-K PqR C	Jack Harris, GM	J		W N T M	Joseph Hill, M	K
960	W B E U	W. C. Bochman, GM	J	1380	W M B G	James W. Kyle, CE	J
	-K O V O	Kenneth Hansen, CE	M		W S Y B	J. H. Weiss	J
	-X E D F	Felipe Maldonado P.	E		W P K O	D. E. Kinker, CE, M	H
	K R O W	Alexander Pattison, CE	G		C K P C	Freda Shipley, S to GM	E
970	W JpM X	K. A. Jetine, CE	F	1390	W R I V	Robert Houston, M	A
	X E O -	Robert N. Pinkerton GM	E		K L P M	Leslie E. Maupin, PD, Ptnr	
980	W O N E	Stanley Beck, CE	E	1400	W DfO T	Roger A. Laroche, CE	
1010	-C BcK -	WJM McMahon for HMSamuelson	H		K B C H	Robert G. Beattie, CE	
1050	C F G P	J. de Roaldes, CE	E		-K V F D	David G. Sinclair, CE	
	K L E N	A. W. Stewart, CE	M		K C O G	Alex Chesley, P	
1060	W C H W	Clark L. Dozer, SM	B		-K F R U	R. H. Haigh, CE	
1150	W I S N	Ralph Green, E	B	1410	W T I M	Marc Stuart	I
	-C K X -	E. H. Davies, CE	E		W R I S	Rou E. Giles Jr., TD	B
1190	K E X -	John A. Erwin, AcgCE	L	1420	-W H K -	Ralph H. Delany, CE	M
1210	W A V I	V. Yeich, CE	H		W D B F	Harry Benson, SM	C
1220	-W L P O	Lawrence McCann, CE	I	1430	-W LqA K	William P. Lee, CE	C
1230	W S T R	William S. Miller, CE	B		-K B R K	Robert Reimers, GM, CE AM	
	W J O B	J. D. Mitchell, PD	M	1440	W A B R	Ray H. Gunkel Jr. GM	
	W I K B	Lester Patten, CE	B	1450	-K B M W	H. G. Unkenholz, CE	
	W H V F	Hilding V. Foreen, O, CE	E		W S T U	Jack . Pugsley, CE	
1240	-W B B V	E. Trace, VP	E		W H V H	George A. Corkum, M	KO
	-W TpV A	E. Harden, CE	F	1460	W O K O	S. Paulic, CE	
	-K W A X	Scooter Segraves	G	1470	K P L C	A. B. Craft, CE	
1250	-W K B L	Charles Watts, PD	K		-W Nca U	V. Keith Wroten, T	
1260	W J O T	J. O. Tice, M	J		W O H O	Edwin Powell, TD	
	W FrB M	R. W. Flanders, ACE	M		K RqB C	Troy R. Mallon, CE	
	-K R O X	Williar J. Kiewel, M	D	1480	W W O K	Lyman J. Hall, CE	
	-K F G Q	Lee Gregory Kent SummrGE	E		-K L E E	T. Porter, CE	
	-C F R N	(F. Makepiece, CE	E	1490	-K X A R	W. Ninemire	
	-C F R N	(George A. Duffield, BCM	G		-K D M O	George F. Province, CE	
	-K P O W	A. Meyer, O, M	G		W L A T	H. L. Hanks, AM	
1270	-W B I C	Earl Y. McMullen, E	G		W O O W	Roy B. Ingraham, E	K
	W XpY Z	Charles Koen, CE	F	1550	W B S C	Neil Terrell, GM	
1280	WpT CfN	Joseph Kahnke, CE	F	1560	-K W C O	Jack L. Pink, O	
	K D K D	W. Dean Dlayton, CE	E	1580	W T Y N	Edithe Mooneyham	
	W J A Y	James F. Ramsey, GM	J		-K C H A	Charles J. Ellis, P	
1290	K U O A	Cecil E. Smith, GM	E		W TpR N	L. E. Ray, GM	
	W T O C	Kyle E. Goodman, CE	B	1590	W L F A	Mrs. Betty Moseley, S	
	-W HpK Y	Thomas E. Long, CE	G	1600	W Nue S	Rande L. Beane	G
	W B L E	Harold B. McCarley	K	REMEMBER TO SEND YOUR RECENT V/S TO LEFTY			
	K D H S	Charles N. Buice, CE	J	COOPER AND PLEASE BE SURE OF THE SPELLING			

September 3, 1955

"D X N E W S"

Page 3

Everett Johnson - 516 16th Street - Mendota, Illinois

Hi fellows. By the time you read this, I hope I will have met many of you fine DXers, as this year's Convention will be history. A swell time has been promised for all. DX for the month of August better than any since May. Here are some of the heard and reported - some were not needed. On 8/1 the new KLEN on 1050 in Kil-leen, Texas was heard on one of their ETs knocking XEG out some. 8/8- I caught CFRA-560 RS AN. KYNO-1300 RS 2:30. 8/12- WHNC-890, WRRF-930, WBIG-1470 WGBR-1150 on for "Connie." 8/14- WDBQ-1490 f/c per list. KPIG-1450 f/c. KSTT-1180 s/off 3:05 Sundays. 8/15- KTTR-1490 f/c. WHTN-800 TT. WOWL-1240 f/c 3:20. 8/17- WKTM 1540 TT 2:30. WBSC-1550, WCGC-1270, WTAB-1370 WJAY-1280 on for "Diane." KDMS-1290 f/c 2:35, said regular monthly f/c. Also heard on 8/19. WHK-1420 was still on AN on the 18th Lefty. (Uncle! -Ed.) 8/20- WFBL-1390 s/on 5:00. 8/21- WAKR 1590 s/on 6:00 Sunday. KXLF-1370 "Monitor", KXOL-1360 RS, WARU-1600 s/on 6. WCOL-1230 6:30. WIRO-1230 s/on 6:40. WIKB-1230 s/on 6:30, all Sunday AM. WTMV-1490 f/c at 6:50-6:55, TT. WBTO-1600 s/on 6:45. Received three new tubes and headphones today so watch out come Sept. 1, hi! Veries this month are from WHK-1420, WFEM-1260, WRIT-1340 KLEN-1050, WJOB-1230 WBSC-1550 WRRF-930. 73s.

Roy H. Millar - Route 2 - Box 6704 - Issaquah, Washington

Greetings! How did ye Cedar Rapids Convention go? Mr. Stone doesn't "buy" this DXing by tape deal. Well, isn't it better than no DXing at all, huh? I'd sure like to DX "live" but others don't sympathize with my ideas of a hobby, so I do what I feel is next best, that is, by tape. I particularly feel that it would be excellent for more of us who can't always be at the dials when a special DX program is on, to record same, as there are never too many reports to these courtesy programs. Thanks to donor for NRC letterheads for WPPA-dx report! A pleasant surprise! Might warn Western DXers that a couple of guys in western Washington, not including yours truly, may really did the DX out this coming season. Both have Hammarlund receivers and fairly long antennas plus a real DX interest, so with this combination, I believe you'll hear from western Washington DXwise this season! (We hope we hear from them in "DX NEWS" too -Ed.) Good luck to both. Only wish I could make it a trio, but fear I'll have to take very much of a back seat DXwise this season and limit my DXing to trying for the special programs arranged by the CPC. Well, to DX doings, such as are since last report: Aug. 8 - KVEL-1340 Vernal Utah, f/c 4:45-5 a.m. Aug. 14 - KXLK-1400 Great Falls, Mont., with "Monitor," NBC, ID at 5 a.m. Aug. 22 - KRIG-1410 Odessa, Tex. s/on 7 a.m. Aug. 23 - KWIN-1400 Ashland, Ore. announced as AN at 4:30 a.m.! KFDR-1400 Grand Coulee, Wash., f/c 4:30-4:45 a.m. Domestic verifications in are, KEX-1190 Portland, Ore., KPUG-1170 Bellingham, Wash., all of two! Willtry for the WMIK DX program on Aug. 29. Hope they make it so I can get the season off on the right foot! That's it, so 73s.

Lefty Cooper - 438 East 21 Street - Brooklyn 26, New York

Hi. Veries in from WKMC (QSL) and letters from WHVH (nice) and plain sheet of paper from KBRK. As to DX, well: 8/10 - WATM-1540 logged on f/c-~~at~~ 2:15-2:30 and report sent before I noticed I verified them several seasons ago, hi. (Ach, dis oldt age!) WPLM-1390 heard briefly at 6 p.m. between WBOOK and WRIV but not enough to report. 8/12- Jackie Gleason records on 1050, 2:05-2:15 s/off, announcing then, but covered by QRM and XEG. Who? WPLM-1390 again a bit at 7 a.m., still not enough. 8/15- After fearing I had lost out on them, KBRK-1430 on f/c-TT to 2:05 s/off. A hillbilly on 1260, no IDs. A surprise on 1280 in a test from long-sought WPRE to 2:26 a.m. s/off, in the clear here. 8/16- WKMC-1370 now signing on at 4:30 weekdays with a dandy signal here. That evening at 5:30 EST, WRIV-1390 finally for a report, followed at 6:45-8:04 s/off of new WDVM-540, thanks to tip from Pete Taylor. 8/17 - Hurricane "Diane" had 'em all on in the Carolinas. I was especially looking for WMYB, Myrtle Beach, on 1450 but got instead welcome WHVH on the Civil Defense Network. Music was from each station's own studio, and on the 3-hour they joined the CD network with WBSC acting as key station. Also ET from WWOK-1480 at 2:30 and on, mostly OC. 8/27 - Nothing new, but noted f/c from WXRF-1590 for "Riverhead, N.J." Continuous music on 1290, no IDs, 3:20-3:32 and on and on and on, hi. That AM, 10:10-10:55 a.m., WEJL-630 with TV and WPRO QRM for a new one. 8/29 - The DX from WMIK made it here but tough under much stronger CFRA. No WIND, though. Then caught WTCR, <sup>1420</sup> evidently new call for WWKO "Town and Country Radio" Ashland, Ky. on taped ET with hillbilly music asking for reports. Off for Knoxville vacation!



Musings of the MembersBen Patch - R. R. 1 - Deerfield, Illinois

I thought I'd send in a second report for the August bulletin with a resume of my latest DX activities. Starting with 7/24, WIKB 1230 logged 6:00-6:45 a.m. with powerful signal on what was almost a clear channel. Verie states that the first request from the south and the first report in over a year. Also WIBV-1260 7:10-7:13 a.m. 7/25 - WJMA f/c 3:49-3:55 a.m., WTRX 1290 4:50 s/on, CKPC-1380 4:35 s/on WOTR-1370 ET 4:30-4:35 s/off, WCUM-1490 4:00 s/on, too poor to report, WNDU, ex-WHOT 1490 s/on 6:00 too poor for report and WTRN-1580 5:00 a.m. s/on, a cinch for mid-western DXers. 7/26 - KTLW-920 ET 1:54-2:06 s/off, KOSI r/c 2:25-2:43 s/off, WAVI-1210 7:15-8:00 s/off. WSDR-1240 12:15, QRM from WIBU-1240 after blocking out WCRW completely. 7/27 - Static very high but tried for WOZK f/c and netted only WBRV-900, Boonville, N.Y. for a new one on ET with OC. WGEH-610 also heard on r/c but too poor to copy. 8/1 - KNOX 1310 r/c. WIOU-1350 RS 3:45. 8/3 - WCBS-880 for report. 8/4 - WKBZ-850 5:30 s/on, WKLO-1080 7:30 p.m. Sent f/up to WTIK. What say Pete about WTIK veries? Are they still about to delete? Veries very slow but did manage to crawl up to 1,000 today, 3/4, with CKPC-1380. Others are WTOC-1290, WCMW-1060, WOSA-550, WOTR-1370, WOKO-1460 (runs only 500 watts during AN run) KLEP 1390, WTEC-1370 card, verie to follow later, KRFB-600 (nice coverage map) WOKO-1480 WISN-1150, WSTR-1230 (wants to do DX program, letter to Sid) and WIKB-1230. WCMW also sent coverage map. WOTR's letter was about the worst scrawled out letter in my collection, on yellow memo paper. I guess I've taken up more space than I should but hope this'll make up for the lack of reports during DX season. 73.

Harvin E. Robbins - 7805 Woolworth Avenue - Omaha 6, Nebraska

Summertime not too bad for DXing this year at all. There have been several good static-free nights. At sundown on 7/15 logged WCNT-1210, later on WACO-1460 over-riding KSO with ball game. At s/off got KPIG-1450 in Convention City, KAMQ-1010 with ball game and KRBC-1470 with transmitter trouble. 7/17, added KBRK-1430 ET, KTEM-1400 running to 1 a.m. EST on Saturday night, KLIL-1340 f/c, KMRC-1430 ET, WICK-1450 AN, KIUL-1240 through KAKE and WMIS with "Monitor." That afternoon produced KGLC-910 and KFUD-850. On 7/19 KFRU at s/off on 1400. On 7/20 logged CKX-1150, KHP-920, CJCA-930, KLRS-1360 with f/c, KPLC-1470 on RS, KARE-1470 on RS, KFJZ-1270 on RS, WRIS-1410 with f/c, KHUZ-1490 with f/c. On 7/22 KGCK-1480 before s/off, KLEE-1480 with f/c, WHVF-1450 with f/c, KDTA-1400 with f/c. Early evening loggings on 7/23 were KFKU-1250 and WDEM-1440. KVOA-1290 at s/on just before KUOA on 7/24; WGIL-1400 on f/c, KOBK-1390, WTIM-1410, KBBB-1410, KCOG-1400, KALO-1390, all at s/on. Late afternoon loggings on 7/24 were KCLO-1410 through WGHM, and KLVN-1320 through KALO, KBYE-890 through WLS. On 7/26 added KOSI-1430 on f/c, WBBF-1300 going AN, KFUN-1230 f/c, KATL-1340 f/c, CFRN-1260 RS. And on 7/27 KLVN-1450 f/c, WGBT-1240 f/c, CJOB-1340 (AN every night - they use two transmitters) KWWL-1330 with ball game. New verifications include: WRR-1310, KIMR-920, WTCN-1280, KNBR-970, KFSB-1310, KMAN-1350, KCHE-1440, XEO-970, KSYL-970, KCHA-1580, WMT-600, KFOR-1240, KDLO-1490, WBBF-1270, KGLO-1300, KDKD-1280, KWHN-1320, KBEL-1300, KMO-1300, WTOC-1290, KUOA-1290, KRGV-1290, KVOR-1300, KROP-1300, KIMC-1400, KSAC-580, KISD-1230, WAPI-1070, KRMG-740, KRBC-1470, WACO-1460, all letters. KMBC-980, KLIK-950, and KPRC-950, cards. WEDC appears to be missing mornings occasionally. There have been several good mornings on 1240 kc/s. Someone mentioned in 8/13 "DX NEWS" about WJUN being in smallest town in country to have a radio station. I've thought of one in a smaller town, WMTG-730 in Vancelev, Ky., a town of less than 200. 73.

Sid Rosenbaum - 806 Market Street - Wheeling, West Virginia

I regret that I was unable to get to Cedar Rapids along with good friend Bob Seifert. Wish to send greeting to all of you at the Convention especially the hosts, Len and Bob, for I know these lads can do things up brown when they arrange anything. I hope Lefty catches some of that tall corn in his notebook for Kenedy Korn-er and that Ev Johnson's brakes hold out. Say, Bob Seifert - how's about a Convention in the Queen City next year? The heat really has been on in this section and no DX to report. (97° August 22). Will be anxiously awaiting that after Convention number of "DX NEWS." Hope you all have a wonderful time.

Stan Morss - R. R. 8 - Bradford, Massachusetts

Report to WMTG 5:45 a.m. show, WPLM 1390, begins RS 8/8, 6 a.m. - SS, on weekdays. Verie, WNES-1600, signed by R. L. Beane.

September 3, 1955

"D X N E W S"

Page 5

Morton H. Schlesinger - 701 West 177 Street - Apt. 37 - New York 33, New York  
August loggings: 8/5, WLAQ-1410, Rome, Ga. 12:00 midnight s/off. 8/6 - WTJS, 1390, Jackson, Tenn. 1 a.m. s/off, WTTA, 1240, Thomson, Ga. 1:25 a.m. f/c. 8/8 - WMAK, 1300, Nashville, Tenn. 1 a.m. s/off, WTIK 1450 New Orleans, La. 2:30 a.m. news, AN 8/10 - WJIX 970 Florence, S.C. 1 a.m. and WRRF-930 Washington, N.C. 1:45 a.m., both Hurricane Connie AN. 8/12 - WDEF-1370 Chattanooga, Tenn. 5 a.m. s/on, WHIL 1430, Medford, Mass. 6 a.m. s/on, WEEU-850 Reading, Pa. 6 a.m. news RS. 8/15 - KONO 860 San Antonio, Texas 1:10 news, AN. WAHR 1490 Miami, Beach, Fla. 1:30 news, RS, QFM CMOX with a station with music, maybe WOLF; WELO 1490 Tupelo, Miss. 2:15 a.m. phonetic ID f/c, WOWL 1240 Florence, Ala. 3:25 f/c-TT, frequent phonetic IDs, WABI 910 Bangor, Me. 3:20 a.m. new AN and a new state. Only Vermont needed east of the Mississippi River. WBIR 1240 Knoxville 3:45 a.m. f/c. WPAZ, 1370, Pottstown, Pa. 5 a.m. news, RS. WKAP 1320 Allentown, Pa. 5 a.m. s/on; WNNJ 1360, Newton, N.J. 5:02 s/on in clear to 5:05, then QFM. 8/17 - WBIG 1470 Greensboro, N.C. 3:20 a.m., WLAS 910 Jacksonville, N.C. 3:30 a.m., WMEL, 740, Morehead City, N.C. 3:30 a.m., WBSC, 1550, Bennettsville, S.C. 3:45 a.m., WJAY 1280 Mullins, S.C. 4:30 a.m.; WBIG WLAS WBSC WMEL WJAY Hurricane Diane AN storm shows, last four daytime only stations good catches. 8/18 - WARE 1250, Ware, Mass. 7 p.m. s/off. Twenty-five stations month of August, a new monthly record; nine on 15th, a new daily record. 147 verified. New veries in: XELO WTWA WRRF WJMX WEEU. Glad 1490 clear. 73s and good hunting.

Larry Jones - P.O. Box 223 - Stillwater, Oklahoma

This DXer is a little red-faced these days for a good reason. On 8/12 I was daytime DXing when I ran onto KWCO in Chickasha. The program I heard ended with an invitation to join the "Birthday Club." According to the announcer, all you had to do was send in your full name, birthday, and address. So I sent them the info along with my report. Turned out though, that the Birthday Club was for "Ladies Only" and there I was trying to join, hi. Since I joined NRC in June, two of my buddies have also become interested in NRC. They are Bus Boatman and John H. Bryant. Both plan to join in September. Logged since last report were WJPH WROW KAOK KAPK WIKY WEIC WDAY KOVO KCLA WDKH WOJK KWHP KEWL KTOW KOLS KWCO KENT KRES KBIX KVLH KVIN KGFF KCRC KMUS KOME KWSH KHBG WEBZ KVOO KNEB KBPR XEX KFMJ KTOK WKUL WTI and WBEW in Buffalo, N.Y. Veries in are from KFBK KROW WNAU KPOW CFRN WIKY WEIC KWCO and KOVO. Now for some questions. What does the bee in the circle stand for on western veries (KMJ KFBK and KOH)? And who was the Mexican holding a f/c around 930 at 2:30 8/20. Anybody know? Bravo for Bill Stone's article about AN stations. He's exactly right. A list of ANers would be a great help. I haven't the slightest idea what Stan Stanbury's predictions were about, but I'm curious, so keep them up. Bill, yes, I could use WJMX 970 Florence, S.C. but KAKC sort of "discourages" that kind of logging on the channel here in Oklahoma. Best DX for August was KOVO 960 Provo, Utah. It seems that they use a directional array at night (SW, NW, SE and NE), and that I am in a comparative null, making it pretty good DX for me and my meager equipment. Have fun in Cedar Rapids and 73s to all from this den.

Hal Williams - 59 Third Avenue - Seymour, Connecticut

By the time this is read in "DX NEWS" many of you will be making plans to go to Cedar Rapids. From the info letter sent out by Bob and Len and Mrs. Wachtel I would say that these good Iowa members are going all out to give NRCers a never-to-be-forgotten trip. I only wish it were possible for us to attend but I just can not get off from work, but we sincerely hope that all will have a pleasant time and I sure think that the members owe Bob, Len and Mrs. Wachtel a great big vote of thanks for their efforts in our behalf. We had a small but a real good DX gabfest at our home on 7/24 when Lefty Coe

Frank S. Johnson - Concord, New Hampshire

A bit of DX being done here lately. 8/8 - CMK-1190 heard 1:05 to 1:30 s/off, announced in Spanish and English at s/off but didn't catch location. Would appreciate knowing location and if they issue QSL cards. (International Airport, Havana) 8/9 - WPRA-990 heard using TT and alphabet code, 2:45. 8/10 - WTAB-1370, WRAL-1240, WMEL-740, WRRF-930 on for Hurricane Connie. 8/11 - WGBR-1150, Hurricane Connie. 8/12 - WFNC-1390, WRCS-970, Hurricane Connie. 8/13 - WDVM, 540, Hurricane Connie. 8/16 - WSAV-630 heard under WMFD both on for Hurricane Diane. 8/17 - WLAS-910, WBIC 1470, both on for Hurricane Diane. Reports have gone to WPRA WMEL WSAV. Only (P.

(Frank S. Johnson, con'd from P. 5) is this summer is from WKMC-1370. I don't try to keep up with you better DXers, but I really enjoy reading the bulletins and doing a little domestic DXing. A real disappointment was a letter verie from WRAL-1240. I was hoping for their unique QSL card which apparently have been discontinued. This is what discourages me in DXing. Have noticed that KGLN has moved to 980 and am wondering if they still issue their attractive card. Will try for them this winter, I hope. I am wondering if there are any ECB stations in Greenland and what are the frequencies and power? Also if any DXes could be arranged for this winter. Lefty, where is CEXA-740 located? (Edmonton, Alta.) Thanks and 73.

Albert E. Lehr - Route 1 - Box 353 - Livermore, California

I just received my membership card with the August issue of "DX NEWS" so I guess I'll send in my first report. Here are my recent loggings: 5/2- KERP-920 s/off 3:04, KODL-1230 f/c 4:13. 5/5 - KOEXDN-1240, 4,700 feet from ground zero, Yucca Flats, Nevada 2:35-3:30. Was wrecked in atomic blast later that morning. 5/9- KOMB-1400 Baseball game 2:30. 5/12- KRKO-1380 Baseball 2:00-2:30. 5/18- KCAL-1410 ET 2:02. 5/30- KOSI-1430 ET 2:34-3:55. KPTL-1400 f/c 3:15. 7/4- KERO-1230 s/on 7:00. 7/25 - KPAM-1410 ET 5:05-5:10. 8/1- KRXL-1240 RS 2:14-2:30, KWSO 1050 f/c 2:25. 8/3- XEHE-1370 RS 1:30-2:00, sked 8 to 2. 8/4 - KOWB-1340 f/c 3:33-3:35. 8/5- KGAK-1230 f/c 3:33-3:43, KWJB-1240 f/c 4:0344:10. 8/8- KELY-1230 f/c 3:34-3:44. 8/10- KEMI-1400 RS 2:46. 8/11- KLIR-990 f/c 2:36-2:40. 8/10- KQRS-1360 f/c 3:27;3)30. 8/21- KWIN-1400 s/off 3:33. 8/22- KELK-1240 f/c 3:02-3:15. KPKW-1340 f/c 4:01-4:08, KCLS-580 f/c 4:10-4:15. 3/24- KPOW-1260 f/c 2:25-2:35. I have been DXing for 2½ years but I just started seriously last season. Some of my best catches last season were WNOG WFUL WPDR WGRY WJLB WBNS and WOHO. (Welcome to the NRC, Al, and we hope you'll be a regular in these pages! -Ed.)

Joe Brauner - P.O. Box 22 - Valter, Pennsylvania

First of all, I regret having to pass up the 1955 Convention at Cedar Rapids, knowing what fun it is to participate in these gatherings, but it just could not be made this year. DX is showing steadily improving signals now, but the number of ANs decidedly cuts down the chances of new catches for the average DXer, if not all, for no one has yet devised a set that will pull in a good readable signal from an S-3 station who happens to be directly behind an S-9 plus signal. New here in the past hot weeks were the following: 7/3, WFFD, 1310 on RS, a local here. 7/28- WGSA, 1310 at RS s/on, 6 a.m. 8/3 - WEJL, 630, the new WQAN call, also on RS. 8/12- WNVH, 1450 and WOOW, 1490, both on "Connie" emergency AN. 8/16- WIEB, 1360 RS s/on at 5 a.m., EST. 8/17- WLDB, 1490, a real surprise over all else at 3:30 p.m. (heard also since at RS s/on, 5 a.m. EST). 8/21- WAYE, 860, regular Sunday s/on at 7 a.m., EST, and finally an ET, WSHH, 1420, at 2:30 a.m. to 2:50 on 8/23. On that night WHK was silent but have noted them on AN again since then. Last few nights CKLW has been off 800 too. Hope this stays like that. Using prepared cards mostly, the following have been verified this summer: KEAR WIEBY WNTM WTYM EAWL WNES WGLB WIEB WCHF WXLW WCLA, using VS given by Bill Stone, a long unverified one WFAK, 1470, was added with a new report, a fine letter by return mail. Letter veries are in from WKMC WBLE WFFD KEFT WNVH WOOW, leaving the following unverified for the past few seasons: WICK KREM WBL KENS WDKT WMCW WTRX WMTA KLAH KLIX-dx WVNA. Hope to report regularly from now on.

Charley Conley - 358 Market Street - Lemoyne, Pennsylvania

Greetings to you-all at Cedar Rapids! For several reasons I certainly would like to be with you - first, to see if this "Tall Corn" the Iowans brag about is half as tall as we raise in Pennsylvania; second, to renew acquaintances and third to watch our Dear Ed put away the berled eggs and beah mit onions! Want to add my congratulations to the many already printed to our CPC and other hard-working officers. Also want to thank Merv Robbins for his surprise verie received 7/13 on last year's report to KEFT. My 12th 100 watter. Brought my verified log to 1,221 - very poor compared with some of you Old Timers, but to my surprise on the last time Lefty visited me (1953), even an expert like Ye Ed saw some veries in my file that made his mouth water! So goes it. Once more, my best to all of you and may you have a - as I know you will - wonderful time!

**DON'T FORGET, NEW MEMBERS, WE WANT YOU TOO TO TAKE AN ACTIVE PLACE HERE IN THESE PAGES. REMEMBER, IT'S THIRTY LINES TO A CUSTOMER, AND PLEASE DOUBLE SPACE YOUR REPORTS TO MAKE IT EASIER COPY FOR YOUR EDITOR. THANK YOU.**

Harold S. Williams - 50 Third Avenue - Seymour, Connecticut

Most of you no doubt have read in the press, heard on radio or have seen on TV, reports of the devastating flood that ravaged our town and all of the Naugatuck Valley on 8/19. We are thankful that our immediate family are all intact, but the destruction and havoc wrought by the vicious flash flood will be felt for many years. We in Connecticut are indeed thankful to our "neighbors" in New York and Massachusetts for their assistance in our time of trouble and a great big thank you and God Bless you to those swell folks in the great state of Iowa who, though many miles distant have been directly instrumental in bringing relief to many many of our stricken people. I believe that your governor and the state officials were the first to offer assistance except for our neighboring states. DX has been nil since the flood. On 8/11 many Carolina stations on AN reporting Hurricane "Connie", WRRF (930) Washington, N.C. for a second report and WGER (1150) for a fourth report, also WOOW (1490) New Bern, N.C. for a second report and on 8/12 all of the above still on and WFNC (1390) Fayetteville, N.C. logged for a new one here. On 8/24 while working as a volunteer in the devastated areas I heard WGTO (540) in Hammes City, Fla. Veries in since last report are KFWE (980) after 7/10 f/up, sent QSL card. KGA (1510) letter after 7/10 f/up. KHX (1310) for NEC DX after I sent them a copy of my report. WRIT (1340) by letter and the CE says he worked for seven years at WDRC in Hartford. WABL (910) a hold out for 5 1/2 years. WEAU (790) QSL card for 8/4 AN program, their QRA is Seymour Road in Eau Claire. On 8/19 WRRF sent QSL card for report on "Connie" and WOOW a letter for same, my 63rd and 64th veries from North Carolina. Verie total now 1,512. I had decided to take time off to go to Cedar Rapids but this tragedy struck so I would not even consider going so far for pleasure when there are so many that need assistance. Lefty, you may recall the "Drive-In Theatre" on the Expressway just below our home. Well, the water rose to a height of 30 feet on the movie screen, that will give you some idea of how our "little stream" that you spoke of rose to a raging torrent. Many thanks to all of you NRCers who have sent messages to me since the tragedy struck and while I cannot answer all in person right now I want all of you to know they were deeply appreciated and some time in the future I will answer them. To you who will be in Cedar Rapids, enjoy yourselves and go home prepared to do bigger and better DXing. 73.

Pat Reilley - 223 Crossman Street - Jamestown, New York

New veries are WABL KAWL KCID and 45 reports still out since last October 25. Log now 2,677. 8/8- WISO, 1260, f/c at 2:35. KRQP, 1300, good at 2:53. CMOX, 1490, has been atop mess lately. 8/9- WAGF, 1320, f/c at 2:05. WJED, 630, f/c at 2:25. What Spanish speaker is behind WRVA lately on 1140? WSUH, 1420, f/c at 2:40. 8/10 - Stations with "Connie" on, WTAE, 1370, WRRF 930, WTAZ 790, WABL 740 and others. WS00, 1230, f/c at 2:38. WKLJ, 990, test for FCC at 2:44. 8/11- More Connie stations, WPRO on 830, WMPM, 1270, WGER etc. ET of WSPC, 1390 at 3:05. 8/12- More Connie stations, WFNC, 730, WCKB 780 for two new ones. WFMO, 860, WFTC 960, WSWA 550 and others. 8/13- More Connie stations WJWL 900, WQXR 1560, WBOC 960, WAMS 1380, WDEL 1150 and others. 8/14- KPIG, 1450, f/c at 2:15. 8/15- WGEZ, 1490, f/c at 2:05. WELO, 1490, f/c 2:15. WROX, 1450, f/c at 2:17. WSGC, 1400, f/c, fifth report. Hope they verify this time. WOKW, 1260, ET with 1,000 watts at 2:28, second new one. KTTR, 1490, f/c at 2:56 but CMOX very strong lately on 1490. 8/16- Several Diane stations on, WTOC 1290, WGIG 1440, WREU, 960 and others. WELW, 1570, f/c at 2:03 to 3:18 for new one. KICD, 1240, f/c at 2:31. WJPS, 1330, f/c at 2:55. KQRS, 1360, f/c at 3:22. 8/17- Plenty of Diane stations on, WAGR 1480, WBSC, 1550 both new to me. 8/18 - Believe WPLA behind XERF on 1570 but not sure of call. WDVH, 980, promising to verify all reports at 2:47. 8/19- Several Pennsylvania stations with flood broadcasts. KCOB, 1280, ET for new one. 8/21 - WSEA, 910, asking for DX reports at 2:20. WKGN, 1340, AN as announced or 24 hours a day. 8/22- WTOR, 1490, test at 2:06. Unknown on 1490 at 2:30 to 2:45 but couldn't decipher call, then f/c from KXRA at 2:45. 8/23- Too noisy to DX. 8/24- KOIL, 1290, another AN now. WCOW, 1590, test at 2:37. CEO, 910, test at 2:58. WION, 1230, f/c at 3:05, what are they doing here? WOBT, 1240, f/c at 3:23. California coming in better each day now. 8/25- WRGS, 1370, new transmitter test at 2:45. KSTN battling WHK and on, 1420. KRWS, 1370, new one at 2:38 with ET. Unknown with no call atop CKNU, 1320, 2:57 to 3:20 when I quit. WJG, 1380, test at 3:22. 8/27- Unknown on 1370 with Spanish speaker at 1:37, sounded like KSEL call with tone. (con'd on P. 8)

September 3, 1955

"D X N E W S"

Page 9

(Pat Reilly, con'd from Page 8) KOLT, 1320, a new one at 1:51 to s/off at 2:00 and KELO off at 2:05. KRWS, 1370, good again on ET Unknown Spanish station on 730, 2:30 to 2:45 but no call given when they left air. Believe XERW on 1390 at 2:57 to 3:20 when I went to bed. Hope to see many new faces in Cedar Rapids by time this "DX NEWS" issue comes out.

Maurice Nittler - Geneva, Nebraska

DXing has picked up somewhat until this week. Has been almost too hot to breathe here. Have picked up some good ones for summer time. On 8/8 caught WJTN-1240 and WBBW-1240 battling each other at 4:30 s/on both for new ones. Also heard WKDA-1240 s/off at 3:00. On 8/11 KRAY, new one in Amarillo, Tex. ETing with AN pest KXOL. ~~WFMG~~ Also got WKOZ-1350 s/on 5:45. 8/15 got WSIP-1490 f/c as listed. WKMC Roaring Spring Pa. was heard on RS at 4:35 and CKLB Oshawa, Ont. on 1350 s/on at 5:00. WHKY-1290 s/on RS at 5:40. On 8/17 got new WCHJ-1570 Brookhaven, Miss. ETing. Last date of DXing was on 8/22 when I caught WBRC-960, KEYK-1250 and WJBC-1230 all RS. Best of veries since last report are: WEAR-1230, KLOV-1570, WGIV-1600, XERB-1090, KSGM-980, KEYE-1400, KORT-1230, WBBW-1240, WJTN-1240, WKDA-1240, WNAU-1470, WHKY-1290, SFRL-1570, WKOZ-1350, and WKMC-1370. Will leave for Cedar Rapids tomorrow along with Francis who says his DXing activities have been very limited: 7/4, KTHE-1240 and KODL-1440 both on ETs, and on 7/25 KPTEL-1400 on f/c. Veries from KPTEL KTHE WEMP WTIK KIUL WCUE KROP WNOX KGEZ KGGF KOVO. Regular f/c for KPTEL Carson City 1400 is fourth Monday 3:30 to 3:45 EST. 73s.

CHANGES IN STATION DATA - F. C. C.

NEW CALLS

900 K F N W Fargo, North Dakota 1220 K B A M Longview, Washington

CALL CHANGES

1020 K P O P Los Angeles, Cal. fr KFVD 1440 W K L X Paris, Kentucky from WBLU  
1280 W S U X Seaford, Delaware fr WSUS 1570 W H O T Campbell, Ohio from WFAB  
1370 K U M A Pendleton, Oregon fr KOER 1420 W T C R Ashland, Kentucky fr WWKO

FACILITIES

580 W E L O Tupalo, Mississippi to 1,000/500 U4 from 1490 kc/s., 250 U01  
W K A Q To San Juan, Puerto Rico, from Santurce, Puerto Rico. 5,000 U-1  
1580 W W I L Fort Lauderdale, Florida, to 1,000 U-2, not 1,000 U-4 as listed.

HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE

760 K G U - Ex-740 kc/s. FCC 1280 K C O B Newton, Iowa NRC  
950 W B K H Now 5,000 D-1 FCC 1290 W F I G Now 1,000 U-2, ExU3 FCC  
1050 W C E F Now 1,000 D-1 NRC 1360 K X O L Now 5,000/1,000 U-2 FCC  
W A U G Now 1,000 D-1 FCC K R A Y Amarillo, Texas NRC  
1150 W J E M Valdosta, Georgia FCC K A C T Andrews, Texas NRC  
W G B R Now 5,000/1,000 U4 FCC 1390 W P L M Plymouth, Mass. NRC  
1220 K B A M Longview, Wash. FCC 1420 W T C R Ex-WWKO NRC  
1250 W I P S Ticonderoga, N.Y. FCC 1570 W C H J Brookhaven, Miss. NRC  
1260 W O K W Ex-1050 kc/s. NRC 1600 W G K A Atlanta, Georgia NRC

Correction: On Page 11 of the last issue, the report credited to Pete Taylor was actually that of Ron Schiller. Sorry, Ron.

Watch for: 1220 WJUN Mexico, Pa. 1310 KSUL Sulphur, Louisiana

Your Editor is indeed sorry he was not able to attend the big NRC Cedar Rapids Convention this year. This is the first one I have had to miss since 1940, and it will indeed seem odd to be elsewhere over the Labor Day Weekend, and not to be with you wonderful NRCers. But here's hoping it will be a great success, and that everyone will have a great time. See the next issue for a report on what happened.

Again we want to give out with a pitch for some more reports. We have about 225 members now, and there must be half of these who never write in to any section. We appeal to them to make themselves a part of the club by submitting reports to the editors of the sections of the "DXNEWS" in which they are interested. You'll make a lot of fine friends by so doing, and you'll then know that your efforts are helping to keep NRC the top DX club in the world. It takes a scant few moments - how about hearing from you for the next issue, under date of September 24? Thank you!



## INTERNATIONAL DX DIGEST

Edited by Fred L. VanVoorhees, Box 132, Lemoyne, Pennsylvania, U.S.A.

A new Foreign Contest has been submitted to the Board of Directors for their approval, and we should have the rules ready by the first issue in October. It will be similar to last season's, but there are some changes. Roger Anderson will manage it again. Supremacy Ratings appear in the next issue, still time to get your totals up to date. Now for the news on hand this month.

## NORTH AMERICA

BRITISH HONDURAS--\*--QSL verie (1280) received for reception 12/22/54 at 2030 EST. No call on card, just an outline map of Brit. Honduras with BHBS in large letters (British Honduras Broadcasting Service), no signature. (HT)

MEXICO--\*--XEPR (1480) Poza Rica, Veracruz, verified from QTH of Cia. Radiofonica de Poza Rica, S.A., Avenida 6 Norte S?N, Apartado Num. 4. Signer is Simon Villegas B., Gerente. (They were to dedicate 10 minutes of their 2nd Anniversary to me on July 30th) (KM) XEOX (1430) 5000 watts, QTH "Radio Cajonc", Aptdo Postal 158, Ciudad Obregon, Sonora. (KM) XERX (1560) 500 watts, "La Voz de la Provincia", address is Morelos 7, Apartado Postal 17, Salamanca, Gto. Signer is Ernesto Bravo V., Gerente. (KM) XEEW (1420) R. Matamoros, air mail verie by Jorge Cardenas Gonzalez, Gto. General. (PT) XEGD (1520) H. del Parral, signer Ramon Durarte Chavez. (HT) XEAR (1480) QSL via reply card. (FV)

PANAMA--\*--Three page hand written letter from the secretary Emoly Silva, which states I heard HOC fairly well (On 1376 Kcs. on 1/15). Interesting letter (What I can make out) gives her age as 17, color of her eyes, history of her family. Wants pictures of me-my wife got a good laugh out of this. (HH)

## SOUTH AMERICA

ARGENTINA--\*--X LV8 (630) Mendoza, date and call typed on a LRL QSL card, no signature. "Radio El Mundo", Calle Maipu 555, Buenos Aires. (HT)

BRAZIL--\*--PRH5 (1350) as in Weyrich Log. Signer is Clavo Ribeiro, Director Gerente. (KM)

URUGUAY--\*--SODRE (Servicio Oficial de Difusion Radio Electrica), Montevideo, is on the air at 0700-2100 on CX6 (650) and CX26 (1050). Station CX38 (1290) Carmelo, is relaying CX6 (650) from 0930-1200. Also from 1600-2100. (WRH)

## EUROPE

EAST GERMANY--\*--The medium wave station in Eastern Berlin on 782 Kc (relaying Deutschlandssender) has increased its power from 300 to 600 Kw. (WRH)

~~XXXXXXXX~~AUSTRIA--\*--Linz I (1394), Salzburg II (1475) QSL's in for December 31, 1954. (HT)

PORTUGLA--\*--Lisbon (665) QSL received. (HT)

GREECE--\*--Salonika (791) VOA now operating 0230-0630, 1030-1715. VOA Courier (1259) is now operating from 1000-2045. (WRH)

MORE EAST GERMANY--\*--Card verie for January 16th reception of stations on 1043 and 1196 Kcs. (Frequencies not marked) signer not readable. (HH who says he isn't counting as separate country-not on ARRL list) Suit yourself, Hank, NRC list counts it separate.

## ASIA

INDIA--\*--Gauhati (780) air mail verie letter, signature of engineer looks like Arabic. This is possibly most distant verie, 113th country and is 1000th verie outside USA proper. (HT) A recent complete list from AIR via NZ shows Jullundur now on 710 Kcs., Lucknow on 760 Kcs., Allahabad on 980 Kcs. This change evidently result of Jullundur and Lucknow on 50 Kw. New stations are Rajkot (910) and Jaipur (1120), both 1 Kw. Remainder the same. (NZ)

KASHMIR\*--"Radio Kashmir" (1490) verie in signed by B. R. Kapur, Officer on Special Duty (English). (KM)

INDIA (More)\*-Home news now broadcast in English over AIR as follows: 2130-2145 on 1070 Delhi; 550 Bombay; 670, 810, 1000 Calcutta; 1110, 1420 Madras; 970 Mysore; 0300-0310 on 1070 Delhi; 550 Bombay; 810 Calcutta; 1110 Madras; 0730-0735 1070 Delhi; 550 Bombay; 810 Calcutta; 1110 1420 Madras; 1030-1045 1070 Delhi; 550 Bombay, 670, 810, 1000 Calcutta; 1110 1420 Madras; 970 Mysore. (WRH)

OKINAWA-RYUKU ISLANDS\*-Latest schedule for VOA (1180) is from 0530-1730. (WRH)

INDO-CHINA (SOUTH VIETNAM)\*-The "Voice of the Vietnam National Army" Saigon is on 1160 Kcs. with English news at 0715-0730. (WRH)

PHILIPPINE COMMONWEALTH\*-VOA San Fernando is now on the air as follows 1140 Kcs. from 0500-1730. (WRH) KCMB (1520) Subic Bay 250 w. broadcasts 18 hours a day. ~~xxxx~~ Signer is Jay M. Headrick SK3, USN, PO-in-Charge, AFRTS-KCMC, Navy 3002, C/o FPO, San Francisco, Calif. (NZ)

JAPAN\*-Veries are reported in from JOQR (1130) Tokyo, JOOR (1210) Osaka, and a bunch of literature from JOOR. (HWK)

IRAQ\*-Baghdad (764) QSL verie, engineer's signature now deciphered. (HT)

PAKISTAN\*-Karachi (825) air mail verie, on small cheap printed paper and regrets no QSL cards. (HT) Official government list shows the following stations now operating: Karachi (825) 10 Kw.; Lahore (1086) 5 Kw.; Pehsawar (790) 10 Kw.; Rawalpindi (1150) 10 Kw.; Dacca (1187) 5 Kw.; Rajshahi (1340) 1 Kw.; and Chittagong (870) 1 Kw. (NZ) The last two are in East Pakistan and relay Dacca.

SOUTH KOREA\*-The Voice of the United Nations Command operates WUNC (560) Seoul 24 hours a day with various languages. (NZ)

#### OCEANIA

AUSTRALIA\*-HWK reports a very interesting verie in from 3LO along with additional literature. 4QA (720) Mackay, sent ABC QSL verie, no signature. (HT) 6NM Northam, Western Australia, 200 watts 600 Kcs, now on the air, ABC regional station. (KM)

GILBERT ISLANDS\*-VTW (844) Botio, Tarawa. Letter verie for Oct. 2, 1954, Wireless Eng. signature not readable. Mailed April 30th, arrived July 30th, 3 months in transit. (HT)

MARSHALL ISLANDS\*-WXLE (1385) Eniwetok, air mial verie by SFC J. Bateson, says first from the States. Stringent security regulations prevented anyone connected with station from answering mail. Restrictions relaxed somewhat and this is "un-official" reply. They refer to themselves as "WXLE, local Armed Forces Radio Station", no mention of geographical location is ever made. They were received at 0330 on Jan. 5, 1955. Address: Armed Forces Radio Station WXLE, APO 187, San Francisco, California.

U. S. TRUST TERRITORY OF MICRONESIA\*-WSZO (1500) Uliga, Majuro, 150 watts, hours 10 AM to 1 PM NZT. (NZ)

FIJI ISLANDS\*-The British Colonial Advisory Engineer who toured the Pacific last year has recommended that a medium-wave transmitter of not less than 2 Kw. be established near Lautoka and that later a small medium wave transmitter be erected at Labasa. Neither station will be established in the near future as funds are lacking. (NZ)

#### OMISSION

COLOMBIA, SOUTH AMERICA\*-HJBC (1270) Apartado Aereo 5-19, Cucuta, La Voz de Cucuta", Angel Miguel Rueda. (Also sent pennant). (KM)

Must be the light issue for the summer, as we have had a lot of good ones all summer. Special congratulations to HT for his 113th country and for such ~~xxxxxx~~ unusual countries as Marshalls, Gilberts, Pakistan, and India.

KM-Ken Mackoy-Divnl Engineers Office, P & T Dept., Dunedin, New Zealand  
 NZ-The New Zealand DX Times, organ of New Zealand Radio DX League.  
 HT-Henry T. Tyndall, Jr., 285 North Street, Burlington, Vermont.  
 HWK-Henry J. Wilkinson, Jr., 6620 Boeman Avenue, North Hollywood, Cal.  
 HH-Hank Holbrook, E. Bowman Apts., Bayshore Road RD #1, Cape May, NJ.  
 WRH-Bulletin of World Radio Handbook, Hellerup, Denmark.

This column also wishes to acknowledge a postal card from Stan Stanbury mailed from Hubbards, Nova Scotia. He says he is having a nice vacation, but hasn't heard "Radio St. Pierre".

#### OUR OVERSEAS MAILBAG

Ken Mackey, Dunedin, New Zealand.--Looks as if I am about due to go to press again as it is nearly two months since my last effort. We have had a very wet and cold winter here this year--last week it was floods and tonight it is blowing a gale. DX conditions have been good at the all too in-frequent times I have managed to get out to Long Beach to my crib. Firstly I have read several things of interest in recent DX NEWS. One was about the most distant listener of WTAW, College Station, Texas. All you would-be record holders in the States will have to bow to 3 NZers who verified their DX program of a couple of years ago. Then there has been a lot of comment on the freq. of CR7BK. All I can say is that we have a member in Western Australia who tunes this station more or less regularly on 917 Kcs. My recent reports are FEN 1540, 7QT, FEN 1590, VUV, VUC "A", Darwar, PRA7, Rajket, TIGSO, XEPR, Radio Saigon 838 Kcs., GUINA on 785, 1080, 820, 1513, Shansi, China 1210; DEV78, Rajshahi, Ahmedabad, Poona, Tiruchi, XEBZ, Homestead, FEN Kobe, HLKA, Delhi 760 and 650, OAX5D, OAX4Y, TIAN, CR9XL, 6NH. Of the above, XEPR, FEN Kobe, 5NH have already verified. Other verics are XEOX, EJBC, Radio Kashmir, CX44, WCLG, XBRX, WRIS, Stalin, PRH5. Am looking forward to summer and NA DX season.

#### GENERAL

We also want to acknowledge copies of RADIO REVIEW of Dublin which have been forwarded by Roy Patrick, of Derby, England. Last issue we explained how we wanted reports sent to the DIGEST. Now I would like to make a plea to all of you who receive any kind of official lists in the course of your radio correspondance from overseas, or from any foreign country or station. Please send them in for our use. We will always be glad to return them to you if you want them, or if you are finished, we will put them in the more-or-less permanent file at International Headquarters. We write to many countries from time to time for this information, but we don't always get it. Badly needed is a late list from Brazil, also one from Venezuela.

I am sorry not to have met those of you who were in Cedar Rapids. It was too much trip for me to make alone, and I just couldn't find anyone around here who wanted to travel with me, so I have had to be with you in spirit. I know you all had a swell time, and I wish that I could have been a part of it. Perhaps next year.

DX season is now with us, or nearly for most of us. Don't let the October Daylight Saving Time in most of the country stop you. It is time to get the sets tune in. Remember to look for New Zealand and Australia during September and October. You might watch 844 Kcs. for VTW in Tarawa, and watch any other channels for some of the odd island stations in the Australia-New Zealand area.

Of course, start in verifying your stations in Latin America which are now starting to come in. Contest doesn't start until October 1st, but let's start listening in September. Now time for 73's for this week.

Send all items to: C.M. Stanbury II, Box 218, Crystal Beach, Ontario - -

\* \* \* \* \*

- 540 WGTO Haines City, Fla. ET 8<sup>7</sup>/<sub>28</sub>, likely on peg sked now (Williams)  
 1240 WHAI Greenfield, Mass. Wkday sked 0445-0130  
 1310 WICH Norwich, Conn. Is not allnight.  
 1420 WHK Cleveland, Ohio, despite reports statang otherwise WHK is still allnight. (All above reports from Williams)  
 790 WPIC Sharon, Pa. FC 3rd Wed 0145-0200  
 970 KNBR North Platte, Neb. FC 3rd Sun 0130-0145  
 1230 KISD Sioux Falls, S.D. FC 2nd Tues 0200-0230  
 WHVF Wausau, Wis. FC TT 4th Fri 0230-0245  
 KFUN Las Vegas, Nev. FC TT bi-monthly Sept. Nov, etc. 4th Tues  
 1240 KIUL Garden City, Kans. FC 3rd Sat 0105-0120 (0300-0315)  
 WBBW Youngstown, Ohio FC TT 2nd Mon 0505-0530  
 WOBT Rhinelander, Wis. FC TT 4th Wed 0300-0330  
 1290 KVOA Tucson, Ariz. FC 0430-0445  
 1300 KBRL McCook, Neb. FC 2nd Sat 0230-0245  
 KGLO Mason City, Iowa. FC 4th Mon 0100-0105  
 KROP Brawley, Calif. FC 1st Mon 0400-0415  
 1320 KWHN Ft. Smith, Ark. FC 2nd & 4th Tues. 0645-0655  
 1340 KATL Miles City, Mont. FC TT 4th Tues 0400-0415  
 KMYR Denver, Colo. FC every other Monday 0215-0230 tone  
 1400 KFRU Columbia, Mo. FC 3rd Tues 0215-0230  
 1420 KPEP San Angelo, Tex. FC 2nd Thurs 0615-0630 (Change from prev rpt  
 1450 KENM Portale, N.M. FC 1st Thurs 0340-0355  
 1470 KRBC Albilene, Kans. FC 3rd Wed 0210-0225  
 KPLC Lake Charles, La. FC 3rd Tues 0100-0115  
 1480 KLEE Ottumwa, Iowa. FC 4th Fri 0135-0150  
 1490 KXAR Hope, Ark. FC 4th Sat (No time given)  
 1580 KCHA Charles City, Ia. FC 4th Fri 0130-0145

We are indebted to Marv Robbins for this fine list of FC's and you can see what he is doing while home from the Army. How he could appear so bright eyed and alert at Cedar Rapids after all this logging is the mystery of the year...

- 600 WMT Cedar Rapids, Iowa s/off is at 0200 (Jones)  
 930 WBEN Buffalo, N.Y. s/on at 0430 (Jones)  
 1300 WMTM Moutree, Ga. s/on at 0500 (Jones)  
 1400 KRPL Moscow, Ida. on til 0400 Sundays with request pgrm (Millar)  
 KWIN Ashland, Ore. Announcing as 24 hours (Millar)  
 KXLK Great Falls, Mont. AN on Sunday AM with 'Monitor' (Millar)

\* \* \* \* \*

Verie signer index

- |                 |                    |                |
|-----------------|--------------------|----------------|
| A Hal Williams  | F Mort Schlesinger | K Joe Brauner  |
| B Ben Patch     | G Larry Jones      | L Roy Millar   |
| C Stan Morss    | H Pat Reilley      | M Ev Johnson   |
| D Ralph Johanns | I Ron Schiller     | N Bill Stone   |
| E Marv Robbins  | J Pete Taylor      | O Lefty Cooper |

\* \* \* \* \*

Please note the name and address of your new DX Down the Dial editor. I feel sure you will all cooperate with Stan, especially those of us who have met him, and I know Stan will do his part. So send Stan your tips, and make sure they are tips, FC, s/on, s/off's. etc. items which will enable your member DXers to snare those new catches. Stan will have a Wednesday deadline, Sept 21st is the next. To those others who volunteered, many thanks, we do appreciate it.

\* \* \* \* \*

Can't help but put in a word that the trip was grand, the Convention the greatest, and I sure hate to be back at the grindstone. As at all Conventions, time goes by much to fast, one doesn't get a chance to talk to everyone, nor as long as one would like too, The young generation certainly showed all we old timers up, more power to em. (Hal)



Alexander, John	8	Maguire, Norm	16
Allen, Eugne	4	Mann, Stephen	6
Anderson, Roger	8	Matherly, Ernest	1
Batson, Grant	2	Maylath, Ken	3
Biss, Raleigh	3	Meehan, Morton	1
Borden, K.F.	1	Morss, Stan	6
Brauner, Joseph	34--6	Northup, Richard	3
Brown, Robert	1	O'Brien, James	1
Cameron, V.Eugene	17	Patch, Ben	2
Cohen, Abe	1	Pohl, John	2
Cooper, Ernest	57--3	Potter, Philip	1
Cooper, Richard	12	Prater, William	4
Dorson, Kent	2	Raymond, Karl	5
Tritchett, James	12	Reilley, Joseph	32--9
Dexter, Gerry	1	Rhea, Jack	3
Duffy, Bernard	8	Righter, G.Harry	3
Duggan, Robert	1	Roller, Donald	3
Edge, Ray	51--4	Routzahn, J. Warren	1
Ellyson, Craig	1	Schiller, Ron	1
Enz, Joseph	4	Schlesinger, Mort	1
Ferguson, Mike	7	Schrock, Harold	7
Gaylord, Jim	1	Seagraves, Scooter	11
Gorsuch, Robert	34--7	Seifert, Robert	9
Hill, James E.-	1	Seth, Carroll	7
Holbrook, Henry	30--10	Seybold, Robert	1
Johanns, Ralph	10	Shelly, Leo	3
Johnson, Erick	2	Simmonds, Hedley	1
Johnson, Everett	29--11	Stanbury, C.M. II	14
Johnson, Steve	3	Swanson, Walter	1
Kemp, Howard	6	Taylor, Peter	1
Kirk, John	2	Tyndall, Henry	16
Kruse, Len	58--2	VanVoorhees, Fred	60--1
Lendzioszek, Ed	2	Walbridge, Steve	2
Lippincott, Joe	2	Ward, Henry	43--5
Luton, Relfe	2	Wheeler, Frank	3
MacKenzie, Alex	11	Williams, Harold	33--8

\* \* \*

The standings of the first 11 place members are shown after the votes they received. The first 10 will serve as your Board while Ev Johnson will be an alternate in case of a vacancy. Less than 50% of the members voted, this was very discouraging. Resolve to do better next year, please. Names on ballot but not shown above, no votes.

The voting for your 1955-1956 Board Chairman required 3 ballots, the first time a clear cut majority was not reached, the second ballot the elected person declined. Here are the results of the third ballot.

Robert Gorsuch	5 votes
Hal Williams	2 "
Pat Reilley	1 "
Hank Holbrook	1 "

One vote was not received in the final ballot.

The Board is now voting for the remainder of their officers. The results will be given in a future bulletin. Also coming, soon we hope, is a resume of the last seasons Board's doings, and a writeup of the present Board's activities at the Labor Day Convention.

If you have anything to present to the Board, send it to Robert Gorsuch, 2509 "D" Ave. NE, Cedar Rapids, Iowa